GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2291
ANSWERED ON:17.08.2006
SHIFTING OF RAILWAY EMPLOYEES FROM MOUNT ROAD QUARTERS
Mohite Shri Subodh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Mount Road quarters of Southern- Eastern Central Railway in Nagpur are being evacuated and the employees are being shifted to the Beli Road quarters;

(b) If so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Railways propose to use it for commercial purpose by demolishing these quarters;

(d) If so, the reasons therefor;

(e) Whether these quarters at Beli Road are worth living for employees;

(f) If so, the reasons for forcing the employees to shift from there; (g) Whether the Railways propose to provide some alternate accommodations to these employees; and (h) If so, the details thereof ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a) to (h) : A Statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (h) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2291 ASKED BY SHRI SUBODH MOHITE TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.08.2006 REGARDING SHIFTING OF RAILWAY EMPLOYEES FROM MOUNT ROAD QUARTERS

(a): Yes, Sir

(b): These quarters at Mount Road were built for temporary purpose during 1942-1956. These are not in safe condition for living, beyond the economical repairs, and have been declared condemned by the Railway.

(c): No, Sir.

(d): Does not arise.

(e): Yes, Sir.

(f): Does not arise.

(g) & (h): Yes, Sir. Alternative accommodations have been offered to concerned Railway employees at Beli shop colony, Nagpur.